

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF
NORTH AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

DEBRA A. BROWNING and THERESA
A. SCIMECA (Individually and as Guardian of
her minor child, CODY BROWNING,

Defendants.

Case No. 08 CV 00963

JOINT JURISDICTIONAL STATUS REPORT

NOW COME the parties, by their respective counsel, and as their Joint Jurisdictional Status Report, state as follows:

I. Subject Matter Jurisdiction

LINA invokes this Court's jurisdiction pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P 22, through 28 U.S.C. 1331 and 29 USC 1132(a)(3), in that the life insurance benefit at issue was part of an employee benefit plan within the meaning of the Employment Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 as amended (29 USC Sec. 1001 *et. seq.*) ("ERISA").

II. Venue

Venue is proper in this District because all defendants reside in this District. (See Affidavits of Theresa Scimeca and Debra Browning, Exhibits A and B).

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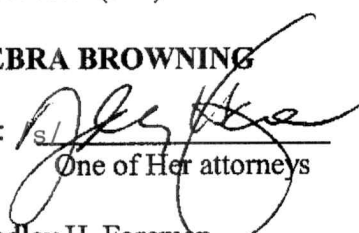
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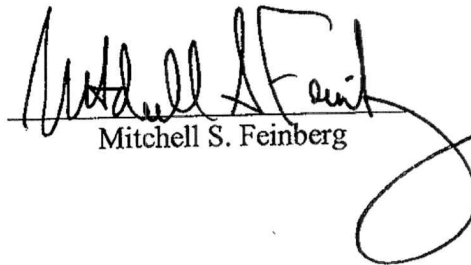
AFFIDAVIT OF MITCHELL S. FEINBERG

Under penalties as provided by law pursuant to Section 1-109 of the Illinois Code of Civil Procedure, the undersigned certifies under oath, deposes and states that the statements set forth in this instrument are true and correct and based on his personal knowledge:

1. I am the attorney of record for defendant-claimant, Theresa A. Scimeca. in the above-captioned case.

2. Theresa A. Scimeca resides at 1146 Hillside Avenue, Antioch, Illinois 60002.

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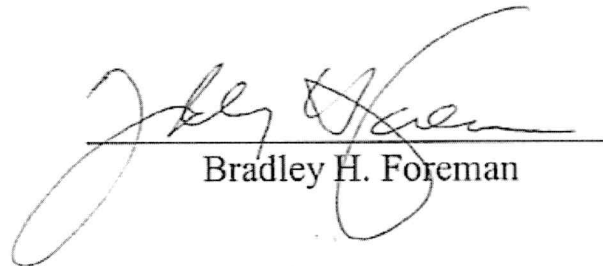
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AFFIDAVIT OF BRADLEY H. FOREMAN

Under penalties as provided by law pursuant to Section 1-109 of the Illinois Code of Civil Procedure, the undersigned certifies under oath, deposes and states that the statements set forth in this instrument are true and correct and based on his personal knowledge:

1. I am the attorney of record for defendant-claimant Debra A. Browning in the above-captioned case.
2. Debra A. Browning resides at 2619 Discovery Drive, Plainfield, Illinois 60544.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.


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